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Allocation of Funds under RGPSA
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Will the Minister of PANCHAYATI RAJ be pleased to state:

a) the details of funds provided to the States/UTs for construction and repair of Panchayat Ghars/Bhawans under the Rajiv Gandhi Panchayati Sashaktikaran Abhiyan in the country during each of the last three years and the current year, State/UT-wise;
b) whether some of the States have reported under-utilisation of the said funds in the country, if so, the details thereof, State/UT-wise;
c) whether the cases of irregularities in utilisation of the said funds under the said scheme have come to the notice of the Government during the said period, if so, the details thereof;
d) if so, the details thereof alongwith the action taken/being taken by the Government in such cases so far State/UT-wise; and
e) the other steps taken/being taken by the Government for optimum utilisation of funds under the said scheme across the country?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE FOR PANCHAYATI RAJ
(SHRI NIHAL CHAND)

(a) The details of funds sanctioned and utilized during 2013-14 & 2014-15 for construction and repair of Panchayat Ghars are given in Annexure-I. In 2015-16, funds have been sanctioned under RGPSA to UTs for Panchayat Ghars.
(b) State has reported under utilization of the funds released to them for construction and repair of Panchayat Ghars under the scheme.
(c) & (d) No case of irregularities has come to notice in utilization of the funds released under the scheme RGPSA for construction and repair of Panchayat Ghars.
(e) For the optimum utilization of funds under the scheme, MoPR reviews the implementation of the scheme on continuous basis through various meetings at state regional and central levels and provides handholding support to the 16 states and training institutions.